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WESTOW STREET, UPPER NORWOOD, S.E 19

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Royal Normal College and Academy of Music for the Blind,

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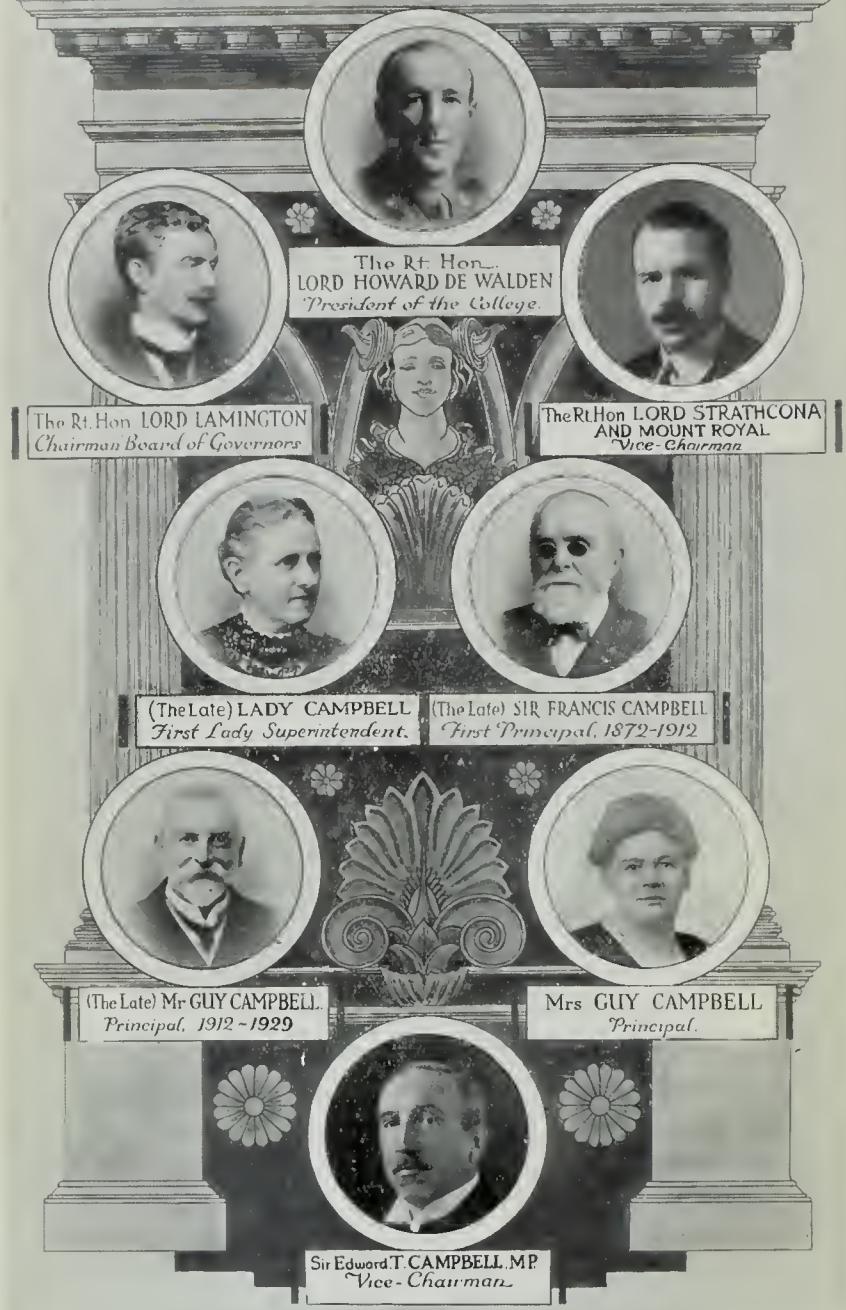
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WHAT IS THE COLLEGE?

WHAT DOES IT ACCOMPLISH?

The College was founded in 1872, as an institution exclusively for the Blind. Students are received from all parts of the British Isles and the Colonies. The College is quite undenominational in character. *Its object is to train the Blind to earn their own living, and to render them independent, self-reliant citizens.* Incredible as it may appear, this is an object which the College has succeeded and does continually succeed in accomplishing. *and there are now more than 765 former pupils not only earning their own living, but in several cases assisting their parents.*

84.4 per cent. of these graduates are filling their places in the world as organists and teachers of music, pianoforte tuners, clergymen, school teachers, governesses, shorthand typists, etc. Without the College training many of them would still be helpless and hopeless and a permanent charge on the rates. The College is therefore an economic benefit to the community, and should receive whole-hearted and generous support.

Do not forget that it is cheaper to educate the Blind than to support them as paupers, while the moral and physical benefit which is given to any individual by training him to become a self-respecting citizen is an asset which cannot be over-estimated.

As originally it arose, so it has continued, largely by voluntary effort. The College is *in urgent need* of funds to continue its good work and secure such a fund as will place its national and imperial work for the Blind on a permanent financial basis.

It is considered a grand and noble act to endow a College for the Sighted. Is it less noble to do so in the case of the Blind?

"Help me to need no help from men
That I may help such men as need."

The Late Lady Francis Campbell,
Wife of the First Principal.

OBITUARY.

The Board of Governors deeply regret to record the death of:—

Lady Campbell, widow of Sir Francis Campbell, the first Principal of the College. She, then Miss Faulkner, joined the College staff in 1872, and two years later returned to South Acton, Mass., owing to the illness of her Mother. She came back to England in 1875, as Mrs. Campbell, having married Sir Francis (then Mr.) Campbell, during his visit to the United States in that year, and from that time onward was his guiding star, his unfailing counsellor and devoted wife, taking a prominent part in the work of the College. Hers was a fine, strong character; her energy was inexhaustible in promoting the welfare, not only of her own pupils, but of the blind generally. Indeed, the influence which she exerted, in common with Sir Francis, extended beyond the borders of these lands, for when they took parties of pupils to give concerts and displays in some of the chief towns of Europe, the results of the College system of Higher and Musical Education demonstrated clearly the ability of the blind to compete with the seeing. When the Teachers' Registration Council (now the Royal Society of Teachers) was formed she was elected to represent the blind on the Committee, and remained a member until she returned to America after the death of Sir Francis in 1914.

Lady Campbell visited England in 1922, the Jubilee year of the Royal Normal College, and presented the prizes to the pupils. To mark the occasion, and in memory of Sir Francis, she gave £300 (now increased to £500), the interest to be used as an Equipment Fund for girl graduates. Everyone was delighted to welcome her again in 1930, when her presence at the Reunion of old students

held in July of that year added greatly to the pleasure and interest of the occasion. She continued keenly interested in the work of the College and always rejoiced to hear of the success of the students.

Although it was realised during the previous few months that Lady Campbell's health was failing, her death came with unexpected suddenness on June 18th. She was laid to rest in the family grave at South Acton, Massachusetts beside Sir Francis, who, with her untiring help, did so much to raise the status of the blind in this country. Many floral tributes, cables and telegrams from workers for the blind, both near and far, found their way to the little village church, and the minister introduced several quotations from the messages received into his address.

Her name will ever be loved and honoured by those who came under her quiet, tactful and inspiring influence.

A Memorial Service was held in the Gardner Hall of the Royal Normal College on Sunday afternoon, the 25th of June. It was conducted by the Rev. G. F. Whittleton, Vicar of St. Jude's, Thornton Heath, a former student, and was attended by a number of old students as well as the present staff and pupils. Mr. Whittleton gave an informal address in which he said that he would like to give to those present some of the very vivid impressions he had of Lady Campbell. He spoke of her strong personality, which she subjected to that of Sir Francis, of her loyalty and devotion to him through all the years of the development of the College.

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PIONEER WORK OF THE COLLEGE.

1. *Pianoforte Tuning*, 1873.—A fuller and more comprehensive form of Training than had ever yet been given in this country.

Instruction in the tuning of the Player-piano was commenced in 1917. The results have been more than satisfactory and have exceeded all expectations. No tuner can now gain his Graduation Certificate unless able to tune this instrument.

2. *Physical Training*, 1873.—All forms of physical training, according to the Swedish, German, British and American systems.

3. *Dramatic Performances*, 1881.—Mendelssohn's "Son and Stranger" was given in this year with only two seeing people in the cast. So much success was achieved that a Committee in Glasgow paid the expenses of students to give a performance in the St. Andrew's Hall of that city. Enough money was raised by this and repeat performances to print the Cathedral Psalter in Braille. All forms of acting are of the greatest value to blind people, and greatly assist in helping them to overcome stiffness of movement and awkward mannerisms. Since 1881 there have always been annual performances of at least two plays.

4. *Kindergarten*, 1882.—The first School for the Blind in the world to open this particular branch of education.

5. *Swimming and Life Saving*, 1883.—Through the liberality of the late Dr. T. R. Armitage, a bath 55ft. long, 25ft. wide, and from 3 to 6ft. deep, was added to the College equipment. The Royal Life Saving Society was founded in 1891, and in 1892 five boys were successful in gaining their Proficiency Certificate. Since that date 59 Certificates and 17 Medallions have been won.

6. *Toothed Wheel Pencil and Compasses*, 1886.—These instruments enabled pupils to make their own geometrical figures and were specially useful in the working out of riders. Prior to this time attempts had been made to work figures with a needle and thread, but naturally with but little success. H.M. Inspectors of the Board of Education, heartily congratulated the late Mr. Guy Campbell on having introduced them into the College. The National Institute now manufactures and sells these exceedingly useful articles.

7. *Cycling and Roller Skating*, 1887.—Eight-in-hand and twelve-in-hand cycles were purchased, and in addition to thoroughly touring over the roads of Surrey and Kent, journeys were repeatedly taken to Brighton and back, to Birmingham and to Derby.

Roller skating still continues to afford one of the most pleasing and healthful recreations at the College, and at various times the tests of the National Skating Association for Great Britain have been passed.

8. *Typewriting* 1887, *Shorthand* 1898.—Though typewriting and shorthand were started prior to these years at Birmingham, the College was the first to draw up and arrange a scheme of work which would qualify students to earn a living as professional typists and shorthand writers.

9. *Training College*, 1895.—The Board of Education sanctioned the opening of a Training College Department for the training of blind people to become teachers. As a result, graduates have been employed as teachers at Birmingham, Bolton, Bradford, Bridgend, Brighton, Burma, Cardiff, Ceylon, Court Grange. Cyprus, Glasgow, Leeds, London, Montreal, Newcastle, Nottingham, Preston, Rhyl, Sheffield, Southsea and many other Institutions. **The College is included in the Training College Scheme of the University of London.**

10. *Examinations of the Royal Academy of Music and Royal College of Organists*, 1901.—This was the first year in which these examinations were undertaken. To date, 72 students and graduates of the College have gained the Associateship and 32 the Fellowship of the Royal College of Organists, while 80 have won the Licentiateship of the Royal Academy of Music.

The following prizes have also been won at the Royal College of organists :—

Lafontaine Prize, Fellowship	Henry Newell	July, 1916.
,, ,, ,,	William Avery	Jan., 1924.
,, ,, ,,	David Williams	,, 1928.
Harding Prize ,,	Lilian Ripley	Jan., 1934.
Turpin Prize ,,	Wilfred Kershaw (the late)	July, 1914.
,, ,, ,,	Leonard Marsh	Jan., 1918.
,, ,, ,,	Percival Dean	July, 1922.
,, ,, ,,	Stanley Kenworthy	,, 1930.
Lafontaine Prize, Associateship	Victor Spanner	,, 1907.
,, ,, ,,	Sydney Anstey	,, 1910.
,, ,, ,,	Lawrence J. F. Lyons	,, 1917.
Sawyer Prize, ,,	Andrew Fraser	,, 1913.
,, ,, ,,	Sydney Jones	Jan., 1920.
,, ,, ,,	Leonard Harding	July, 1922.
,, ,, ,,	David Williams	Jan., 1926.

11. *Degree of Mus. Bac.*, 1910.—Victor Spanner was the first pupil who obtained this Degree while a student of the College, though two other graduates gained the distinction many years prior to this date, after leaving the Institution. In September, 1918, Leonard Marsh was also successful; in 1925 Henry Newell (graduated December, 1918); and in 1926 Alfred Thompson (graduated December, 1910). In March, 1932, Leonard Marsh (graduated December, 1918), obtained the Degree of Mus.Doc.

How you may help the College.

1. By giving a Donation to the General or Consolidation Funds.
2. By becoming an Annual Subscriber to the General Fund.
3. By collecting Donations and Subscriptions (official collecting cards will be gladly sent to you from the College).
4. By employing our Certificated Pianoforte Tuners to tune your piano.
5. By recommending these Tuners to the notice of your friends.
6. By sending orders for typing, duplicating, etc., to be done by our girls.
7. By recommending our qualified typists to the notice of firms as well as individuals.
8. By putting us in communication with any blind person between the ages of eight and sixteen who is in need of training.
9. By employing or recommending the employment of our musical graduates as organists and music teachers, and of our literary graduates as teachers or governesses.
10. By promoting concerts to be given by the pupils in aid of the funds of the College.
11. By securing an annual Church or Chapel collection and inviting the pupils to render the musical portion of the service in order that their ability as organists and singers may be demonstrated and thus lead to future employment.

EMPLOYMENT—WARNING.

Friends and supporters all over the country are urged to continue to press the claims of qualified, *and only qualified*, students for a trial as pianoforte tuners, musicians, school teachers, governesses and shorthand typists.

IN THE COMMERCIAL WORLD IT IS EFFICIENCY ALONE THAT COUNTS.

Unqualified blind people sometimes obtain employment, and though they are soon found out and discharged, much harm to the future employment of the blind has been done.

To safeguard against misrepresentation, all properly qualified students who leave the College are given a Certificate, which, when asked for, they should be able to produce. All prospective employers should know that if, for any reason, the Certificate cannot be produced, they will receive, on writing to the College, a reply by return of post, vouching for the statements of the applicant if they be true.

OBITUARIES.

The Board of Governors deeply regret to record the deaths of:—

The Right Hon. Viscount Burnham. During the twenty-two years in which he was Honorary Treasurer of the College he always displayed the liveliest interest in its welfare; his sound advice and excellent judgment, so readily given at all times, will be very greatly missed.

Most Hon. the Marquis of Aberdeen and Temair, Vice-President, Trustee and member of the Board of Governors. He had been officially connected with the College for thirty-two years; although he had been unable to attend meetings for some considerable time, his warm sympathy and kindly interest in the success of the work were maintained to the last.

Admiral A. E. A. Grant. Member of the Board of Governors and of the Finance and House Committee. He was a valued colleague whose ever ready assistance in the furtherance of the work of the College and his keen interest in its welfare will be sadly missed.

Report of the Board of Governors.

Royal Encouragement. Her Majesty, Queen Mary, again marked her approval of the work carried on at the College by graciously sending a special Christmas donation.

Prize Festival. The Annual Prize Festival took place at the College on Tuesday afternoon, the 18th of July, under ideal weather conditions. At short notice Major-General Sir Percy Cox, G.C.M.G., G.C.I.E., had kindly consented to preside, and Lady Cox to present the prizes, in place of Lord and Lady Burnham, who were unable to come, as had been arranged. In the unavoidable absence of the Chairman, Lord Lamington, the Vice-Chairman, Sir Edward T. Campbell, with the Principal, Mrs. Campbell, received the visitors, who entered by the new Memorial Gateway, which was greatly admired.

The following account of the Festival is compiled from notices in the public Press :—

The visitors first saw something of the way the physical training of the students is carried on, a very smart display of free exercises and marching being given on the parade ground. Classes were seen at work in geometry, arithmetic, geography, reading, etc., and the work of the Kindergarten made a special appeal to many. Roller-skating for the girls and a first-class swimming display afforded great surprise, and wonderment was further expressed at the extraordinary speed and accuracy of the students demonstrating typewriting and Braille shorthand in the Grosvenor Building.

An organ recital was given in the Gardner Hall by Miss Lilian Ripley, L.R.A.M., A.R.C.O., after which the College Choir rendered enjoyable items.

The Concert was followed by the Prize Giving, at which Sir Percy Cox presided, Lady Cox presenting the awards with great charm. In addition to the Prizes in the School Departments there was an excellent record during the past year of successes in the examinations of the Royal Academy of Music, the Royal College of Music, the Royal College of Organists, the Guildhall School of Music, the Associated Board of the Royal Schools of Music, the Royal Society of Arts and the London Chamber of Commerce.

After the distribution, Sir Percy Cox, in the course of his speech, said :—

> *"I should explain that I am here merely in the place of the Treasurer of the College, Lord Burnham, who regretted greatly that he could not come and asked me to express his regret to the College and the Staff and to give them his best wishes. I feel it is a great privilege and honour to come here and to take his place, and it has enabled my wife and myself to make the acquaintance at first hand of this splendid institution. We are both astonished at the admirable work that is being done and the excellent results that have been achieved."*

Sir Percy said he was glad to know how well the old students had been doing, he specially mentioned Elsie Whitehead, who had just taken her M.A. Degree at Edinburgh University, with First Class Honours, and had also won the "James Elliott" prize for the best work in English. He also referred to John Robinson, who had recently secured an Organ appointment in open competition with twelve sighted candidates. Sir Percy concluded his remarks by stressing the necessity for funds, asking his hearers to bear the needs of the College in mind, for, said he, "You could not have a better object or one that is out more for the good of the community than that of enabling the students who come here to find a career in after-life." He then asked Dr. Allen, late Principal of Perkin's Insitution for the Blind, in the United States, and a former member of the Staff of the College, to pay tribute to the memory of Lady (Francis) Campbell, who passed away only a month ago, on June 18th.

Dr. Allen said that he had seen Lady Campbell a few weeks before her death, and spoke feelingly of her devotion to the blind both in England and America. He referred to the meeting of Sir Francis Campbell with Dr. Armitage, which led to the founding of the College, the early success of which was all the more striking since in those days nobody believed that blind people could do the things that the visitors had seen accomplished that afternoon. "Sir Francis was a genius, and his genius was in no respect more evident than that he had the good sense to marry one of his teachers, a woman who possessed the faculty for bringing his genius to fruition. Together they formed a team and made this College one of the greatest object lessons in the world of what the blind can do."

The Vice-Chairman, Sir Edward Campbell, in proposing a hearty vote of thanks, referred to Sir Percy's brilliant career not only in the Army, but also as a political administrator in Mesopotamia, India and other parts of Asia, and said that the College had been greatly honoured by his visit that afternoon; he also thanked Lady Cox for so kindly coming and for the delightful way in which she had distributed the Prizes. Sir Edward then made an appeal for financial support for the College, stressing the value of annual subscriptions. "These young people," he said, "try to fit themselves to fight their way through the world, let us do our bit to help them." In conclusion, on behalf of the Governing body, he tendered hearty thanks to Mrs. Campbell and the Staff for their arduous and successful work.

Mr. G. F. Mowatt seconded the vote of thanks, saying how very grateful they all were to Sir Percy and Lady Cox.

The vote of thanks was carried with acclamation and acknowledged by Sir Percy Cox.

Sir Francis Campbell Memorial Fund. The Board of Governors gratefully acknowledge the Bequest of Lady Campbell of £200 to be added to this fund.

Gardner's Trust for the Blind. The Board of Governors desire once again to express their deep indebtedness to the Trustees for continuing to grant scholarships, thus enabling many blind boys and

girls to complete their vocational training and go out into the world to earn their own livelihood. They also wish to tender their grateful thanks for the special grant from the Trustees for the purchase of a Dictaphone, thus adding to the efficiency of the Typewriting Department.

Successes of Pupils. It is very gratifying to record that although many students entered for Musical and other examinations there was not a single failure. The outstanding success of Lilian Ripley deserves special mention. She not only passed the Fellowship Examination of the Royal College of Organists at the first attempt, but was awarded the Harding Prize, as she headed the list of 84 candidates in the Theoretical section of the Examination and was the first girl, sighted or non-sighted, to gain this prize. Another notable success was that of Sylvia Newbold, who gained the second prize in competition with 300 sighted candidates in the Higher Certificate Typewriting Examination of the London Chamber of Commerce. (*For details see Principal's Report, page 22*).

British and Foreign Bible Society. Margaret Perrett and Leslie Pye read portions of Scripture at the 129th Annual Birthday Celebration of this Society, held in the Guildhall under the Presidency of the Lord Mayor, Sir Charles Collett.

Lectures and Recitals. Dr. Shinn has given the following valuable and interesting lectures during the year, illustrated by songs, piano duets and gramophone records:—

Beethoven—Pastoral Symphony; Leonora Overture No. 3; String Quartet, Op. 18, No. 2.
Brahms—Symphony No. 3, 1st Movement.
Mendelssohn—Italian and Scotch Symphonies; "Hebrides" Overture; String Octet, Op. 20.
Folk Songs.

Mr. Herbert Fryer, a former Professor of the College, gave a much appreciated pianoforte recital.

Enjoyable and instructive lectures were given by Mr. G. B. Buxton—"Some Ancient Facts of Science" and "Science and the Bible"; Miss Chalmers—"New Zealand and Canada"; Mr. W. C. Crowther—"Animal Life"; and Dr. Shergold—"An American Tour."

Concerts, etc., Attended. "Elijah" at the Albert Hall; "The Pirates of Penzance" given by the Croydon Light Opera Company; "The Tempest" at the Old Vic; "The Merchant of Venice" Croydon; Lecture Recitals at the Royal College of Organists; Orchestral Concerts at Queen's Hall, Central Hall and North End

Hall, Croydon; Song, Piano and Violin Recitals at Wigmore Hall and Aeolian Hall.

Readings. The British Empire Shakespeare Society and the Sydenham Shakespeare Society, under the direction of Mr. Eagle, gave excellent readings of "What Every Woman Knows," "Othello" and "The Tempest."

Concerts by Students. The Choir paid their annual visit to the North London Homes for the Blind, and the Westminster Glee Club gave a Concert at the Grange, Godstone, by special invitation, to make known the work of the College in that district.

Surrey Congregational Union. About one hundred and thirty Ministers and Delegates attending the meetings in Norwood visited the College and were so much interested in all they saw and heard that they made a collection for the funds amounting to £5 5s. 6d.

Visitors. Dr. Allen, Boston, U.S.A., County Councillor Hyman, West Riding Education Committee; Mr. Cozens, Essex Education Committee; Mr. R. M. Halder, Vice-Principal of the Calcutta School for the Blind; Mr. Bryant, Royal Blind Asylum, Bristol; Dr. med R. Hagino, Japan; Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Azumi and daughter, Japan; Mrs. and Miss Lawrence, South Africa; Mr. G. H. Biesenbach, Worcester, South Africa; Students from Isleworth Training College and members of the Women's Branch of the Ealing Conservative and Unionist Association.

Staff. The Board of Governors gratefully thank each and every member of the staff for the zeal, energy and loyal enthusiasm with which they carry out their work.

AN INCREASED ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTION LIST IS GREATLY NEEDED.

Every Blind child has a rightful claim to an education, an education which, as Ruskin says: "Is the leading human souls to what is best, and making what is best out of them; training which makes men happiest in themselves also makes them most serviceable to others."

Will you, by sending a contribution, help to maintain, strengthen and support the work of this Pioneer College?

Signed on behalf of the Board of Governors,

LAMINGTON,

Chairman.

The Board of Governors' Acknowledgments.

The Board desire to express their grateful thanks to :—

Sir George W. Badgerow, Hon. Surgeon for throat and nose;

H. B. Grimsdale, Esq., F.R.C.S.
M. L. Hine, Esq., F.R.C.S. } Hon. Ophthalmic Surgeons, and

W. M. Mollison, Esq., Hon. Aurist, for continued kindly attention, inspection and treatment of pupils and staff;

H. L. Balfour, Esq., Mus.Doc., for weekly Organ Recitals;

F. M. Jackson, Esq., A.R.A.M., for weekly Pianoforte Recitals;

F. G. Shinn, Esq., Mus.Doc., for instructive fortnightly Lectures;

The British Empire Shakespeare Society, for delightful Readings;

Mr. Herbert Fryer, for giving a Pianoforte Recital;

G. B. Buxton, Esq., Miss Chalmers, W. C. Crowther, Esq., and Dr. Shergold, for interesting Lectures;

Mrs. Wood, Miss Darbyshire and Dr. Shinn, for continuing Special Prizes;

Miss Wellesley-Reade, for judging Recitation and Reading Competitions;

Miss Mary Harker, for lessons in Elocution, and production of Plays;

Miss Mary Blomfield, Miss Ashby, Miss Gessey, Miss Lough and Mr. Merridan, for Guide, Brownie and Scout Work;

Miss Mildred Bult, Head of the Bedford College of Dancing, for Dancing Lessons;

Miss Mabel Gulick, for lessons in Speech Training;

Ernest Marshall, Esq., for valued assistance in the Pianoforte Tuning Department;

H. A. Robertson, Esq., for providing Braille copies of "Punch" for the Girls' and Boys' School;

Mrs. W. W. Mathews, for gift of Steinway Grand Piano;

Miss Gibbs, for the gift of a Grand Piano, and the Penge Education Authority, for an Upright one for use in the Tuning Department;

Mrs. Godwin, for gift of Stuffed Birds;

William Nash, Ltd., for favourable terms;

Mr. T. H. Everett, Messrs. Russell & Russell, and the Photopress, for permission to use photographs;

The following gentlemen who acted as Stewards at the Prize Festival: Messrs. A. B. Humfreys, H. L. Pound, W. Taylor;

The Proprietors of the "Norwood Weekly Herald," for assistance in connection with the Pianoforte Tuning Department;

The Croydon Operatic Society, Croydon Symphony Orchestral Society, Messrs. Ibbs & Tillett, Miss Dorothy Manley, The Warden of the Royal Academy of Music, L. G. Sharpe, Esq., and The Scholastic Lecturing Association, for tickets to Concerts, Recitals, etc.

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HOLIDAYS, SCHOLARSHIPS, ETC.

Midsummer Holidays, 1934.—The Midsummer Holidays for 1934 will commence Tuesday, the 31st July, and Wednesday, the 1st August.

Michaelmas Term, 1934.—The Michaelmas Term will commence Tuesday and Wednesday, the 18th and 19th September, 1934, and terminate Wednesday and Thursday, the 19th and 20th December.

Easter Term, 1935.—The Easter Term will commence Wednesday and Thursday, the 9th and 10th January, and terminate Wednesday and Thursday, the 10th and 11th April.

Midsummer Term, 1935.—The Midsummer Term will commence Wednesday and Thursday, the 24th and 25th April.

Visitors' Days.—These will be held on the first Thursday of November, February, May and July, from 3.15 to 5.15 p.m. Friends and supporters are requested to invite their friends to come and see the work in actual progress on these occasions. Cards of admission will be gladly supplied upon application to the Principal.

Gardner Trust Scholarships.—A certain number of Scholarships of the value of £10, renewable annually, if *conduct and progress* are satisfactory, are open each year for competition to the Blind of England and Wales between the ages of sixteen and twenty-one, provided they have resided in England or Wales for five years prior to applying to sit for examination. The Examinations for these Scholarships are held four times a year, viz.: in the first week of March, July, September (second or third week, according to notice) and December.

It is most important that parents and friends should enter intending Candidates for examination at the earliest moment possible, as successful Candidates are admitted strictly in the order in which their names are received.

Junior Scholarships.—The Board of Governors are prepared to grant a limited number of Junior Scholarships up to the value of £30 per annum to boys or girls under the age of sixteen, with special ability.

Application forms and further particulars are obtainable from the Principal.

OBITUARIES.

The Principal has regretfully to announce the death of the following former students:

Florence Brautigam, who graduated in 1898 as a Certificated Teacher, and was on the Staff of the London County Council until illness compelled her to give up work. She was a member of the Committee of the Old Students' Guild and of the Campbell Memorial Committee.

Bertram Page, who graduated as a Tuner in 1924.

Minnie Self, who left in 1887, and was a successful Masseuse.

SUCCESSES.

Musical Department.

Royal Academy of Music.
Licentiate Diploma—
Pianoforte (Teacher) Margaret Brand, William Davies, Ronald Finch, Norman Silcock.

Royal College of Music.
Associate Diploma—
Public Singing Winifred Ambler.

Royal College of Organists.
Fellowship: Lilian Ripley. She was also awarded the "Harding" Prize for obtaining highest marks in the Theoretical Section.
Associateship: Joan Tompsett.

Associated Board of the Royal Schools of Music, London.
Pianoforte Grade 1: Marjorie Billingsley, Leslie Pye.
Grade 2: Muriel Easter (Honourable Mention), Olga Ferrando (Honourable Mention), Margaret Perrett.
Grade 5: Joan Gilbert (Distinction), Marjorie Wermig (Honourable Mention).
Grade 6: Muriel Bedwell.
Singing Grade 6: Phyllis Frost (Distinction), Muriel Upton (Distinction).
Pianoforte Grade 7: Frederick House (Distinction), Dorothy Middleton (Honourable Mention), Edward Rogers, Margaret Simpkins.
Singing Grade 7: Kathleen Hall (Distinction).

GUILDHALL SCHOOL OF MUSIC.

Pianoforte. Licentiate: William Davies, Denis Rawlinson, Norman Silcock.

LONDON COLLEGE OF MUSIC.

Pianoforte. Associate: Alfred Heckman, Mervyn Milsted, Dennis Seager, Phillip Talbott, Frederick Walters

Typewriting Department.

ROYAL SOCIETY OF ARTS.

Shorthand-Typists' Certificate Examination:
Kathleen Ambrose, Rita Leslie, *Lucy Martin, Sylvia Newbold, *Agnes Swift.

* *Attended College for post-graduation Shorthand-Typewriting Course.*

Shorthand (100 words per minute):
Kathleen Ambrose, Vernon Jones, Rita Leslie, Frederick Lynn, Sylvia Newbold, Abraham Soltan.

Shorthand (80 words per minute):
Vernon Jones, Frederick Lynn.

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Higher Certificate Shorthand (110 words per minute):
Kathleen Ambrose, Sylvia Newbold, Rita Leslie } with Distinction.

Certificate Shorthand (60 words per minute):
Iris Ferriday, Reginald Parratt, Irene Smith } with Distinction.

Higher Certificate Typewriting:
Kathleen Ambrose, Rita Leslie, Sylvia Newbold, Abraham Soltan } with Distinction.

Over three hundred sighted candidates from all parts of the United Kingdom entered for this examination, and the Second Prize was awarded to Sylvia Newbold.

Certificate Typewriting:
Vernon Jones, Frederick Lynn } with Distinction.

Pianoforte Tuning Department.

Archibald Borthwick, George Brown, Stephen Daly, Paul Dyer, Ronald Finch, Edwin Gates, Mervyn Milsted, Leonard Reeve, Leslie Shinn, Phillip Talbott, Frederick Walters.

The above students also passed the Tuning Examination of the College of Teachers of the Blind—five gained Honours.

The London Musical Festival.

Soprano Solo: Kathleen Hall, First Prize.
Girls' Solo Singing: Muriel Upton, First Prize.

National Library.

Reading Competition.

Class B. Robert Bridger, Third Prize.

Class II. Muriel Easter, First Prize.

Class III. Joan Driver, First Prize; Muriel Bedwell, Fourth Prize.

SPECIAL PRIZES.

"George Thomas Rose" Annual Mmorial Prize, awarded for progress in Music: Joan Tompsett, Edwin Gates.

"Alfred Hollins" Annual Organ Prize, awarded to the student who presents the largest repertoire of pieces for the Organ, any of which can be played when called for: Edwin Gates.

"Musical Essay Competition" given by Dr. F. G. Shinn: Seniors —Norman Silcock. Juniors—Muriel Bedwell.

"Dixson" Annual Prize Essay: Vernon Jones.

"Lady Francis Campbell" Annual Recitation Prize: Robert Bridger.

"Beatrice Darbyshire" Reading Prize: Joan Gilbert.

"Mrs. Wood" Annual Prize for Neatness and Tidiness: Amy Newton.

"The Philip Layton" Prize awarded to the girl who has worked most industriously throughout the year: Margaret Brand.

"The Philip Layton" Tuning Prize for excellence in Tuning, Repairing and Construction: Denis Rawlinson.

Nineteen students left during the year, of these six were girls and thirteen boys. Margaret Brand entered Oxford University, Winifred Ambler and Joan Tompsett have started a School of Music in Halifax. E. Gates has obtained a post as Organist in a cinema; G. Jones entered Aberystwyth University in October; V. Chambers has obtained a post as Telephonist in the Royal Air Force; and A. Soltan is employed as a Shorthand-Typist in the Hull and East Riding Institution for the Blind. Five Tuners are doing fairly well with private connection work, and the remaining seven students graduated only at the end of the Easter Term.

Guides.—Miss Mary Blomfield, Captain, reports as follows:—During the year eighteen proficiency badges were gained and the following additions were made to our Company: K. Chappell, previously a member of the 112th Sheffield Company; A. West, from the 1st Preston North; J. Driver, from Elm Court School; E. Redman, E. Turley and J. Underwood.

In the summer term we were able to hold most of our meetings out of doors and had a great deal of practice in Morse signalling

with flags and hoisting the colours, the latter being in preparation for camp. Our last meeting was a great success; we learned how to pitch a tent and to lay and light a fire, over which we then cooked the supper. The fact that we had cooked our own supper gave it a more delightful flavour, in spite of one or two deficiencies, such as a slight suggestion of smoke in the viands.

At the end of the term M. Brand left the Company; she joined the Brownies in 1922, and became a Guide in 1925. She was the Pack Leader of the Brownies for a number of years; L. Smith has succeeded her. On July 31st, L. Smith and I. Smith went to camp at a small village near Bognor Regis, and there they met two ex-College Guides who now belong to other Companies.

We much regretted the loss of one of our Lieutenants, Miss Peterson, who left our Company and went to help in a neighbouring Company.

The Guides as well as the Brownies much regretted the loss of Miss Gessey, who gave up her position as Brown Owl after ten years of valuable work. But while regretting her loss we were glad to welcome Miss A. Lough and Miss M. Moncur, Brown Owl and Tawny Owl respectively, in September.

Several of our meetings in the Autumn term were given up to rehearsing for an entertainment to be given the following term. At a Court of Honour, I. Smith and K. Chappell were elected Patrol Leaders and S. Newbold "Minutes" Secretary.

On December 20th, a collection was made of Christmas Stockings for poor families; our Company sent three, two from the Guides and one from the Brownies.

The entertainment which was given on February 10th proved a great success. The Brownies contributed to the entertainment and the Guides performed a play written specially for them by Captain Blomfield. A great number of people were present, including Miss Lee Baker and, besides the Divisional Commissioner, we were honoured with the presence of several other Commissioners.

Brownies.—On April 1st the Pack consisted of five Brownies. Meetings at the beginning of the term were prevented owing to quarantine; this, however, did not prevent the Brownies from working hard and passing some of their second-class tests in June. Betty Jell joined the Pack in July.

On July 26th the Brownies were very sorry to have to say "Good-bye" to Brown Owl and Tawny Owl. When Brown Owl took over the Pack in 1923, Tawny Owl was a Brownie in it.

In September the Pack obtained a new Brown Owl and Tawny Owl, who are now firmly installed and very happy in their respective capacities.

We were very glad to welcome Cynthia Johnson and Mildred Riggs into the Pack in the Autumn.

On November 22nd, our District Commissioner, Miss Foulkard, visited us, and enrolled Irene Coggins and Molly Hall. Peggy Perrett, who had passed her second-class, was awarded a Golden Bar.

All the Brownies worked very hard this year, and were busy rehearsing the play, "Snowwhite and the Dwarfs," which they performed at the Guide and Brownie Entertainment on February 10th.

The Pack has collected two large sacks of silver paper for King's College Hospital, and several thousand cigarette cards for Toc H.

Scouts.—Report of the Scoutmaster, Mr. W. J. Merridan:—A number of our older Scouts have left during the year, some on leaving College, others on transferring to the Rovers. On the other hand, practically all the boys of Scout age in the Junior school have joined, and we have now two patrols, the younger members, the Peewits, under Patrol Leader Barnes, and the older members, the Lions, under Patrol Leader Smith.

Investiture ceremonies were held on May 10th, 1933, and March 3rd, 1934, when Fairbrass, Harber and Jenner were invested as Scouts. A good deal of hard work has been put in for the Tenderfoot Tests, and most of these have been passed. Other work has included signalling, first-aid, fire-lighting, cooking and tent-pitching. Rover R. Hill, of the 12th Streatham Group, has been of great practical assistance to us, and has set our boys an excellent example of the true Rover spirit of "service."

On March 12th, 1934, we were visited by several Assistant Commissioners for Special Groups from the Boy Scouts' Headquarters, together with our local Commissioner, Rear-Admiral Harrison. Great satisfaction with the work done was expressed, and special comment was made upon the high standard set.

Rovers (The "Campbells").—Report of Rover Mate J. Robinson: On September 28th, 1933, a Rover Crew was started in connection with the Group. The Group Scoutmaster applied for assistance in opening this section, and it was this application which brought us into contact with Rovers Tweedy and Collings, of the 12th Streatham Crew, who were very willing to help. Although the Crew was started late in the year, one week-end was spent in camp as the guests of our Streatham friends at the London Boy Scouts' Camping Ground at Downe. In October the A.D.C. of Streatham gave us a very interesting talk on Rovering. On November 6th, the Crew were invested as Rover Squires, Mr. Knight-Adkin undertaking to act as Rover Scout Leader. Later in the month the Crew gave a short play as part of an entertainment at St. Saviour's Home. In December three members of the Crew were invested as Rover Scouts by Mr. Oakshott, A.D.C. The whole Group, Rovers and Scouts, with our Streatham friends, enjoyed a social evening before leaving for the Christmas holidays. Two of our members left the College at the end of the term.

Apart from Scout work we have been making wool rugs and have had lessons on the making of musical pipes. Although there are now only four members in the Crew, when Mr. Knight-Adkin and our friends from Streatham join us, we spend some very enjoyable and profitable evenings.

College Functions.—Under the direction of Miss M. Harker, the Senior Boys gave a successful entertainment in aid of their Dramatic Club Funds. The plays performed were,' 'Up for the Cattle Show," "A Night at an Inn" and "A Collection will be Made."

The London Branch of the Old Students' Guild spent the afternoon and evening at the College on September 9th, and were favoured with a warm, sunny day.

Debating Society.—The Debating Society was well attended during the winter months and it is specially gratifying to note that

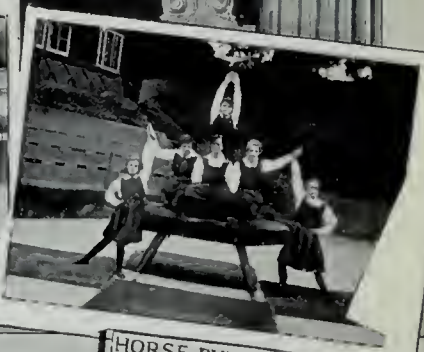
MEMORIAL GATEWAY ERECTED BY PAST STUDENTS AS A TRIBUTE TO THE WORK OF SIR FRANCIS AND MR. GUY CAMPBELL.

Opened 8th October, 1932, by Alfred Hollins, Mus.Doc.

FOOTBALL

CRICKET

GYMNASIUM SOUTH END



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SOME COLLEGE BUILDINGS

TUNING & REPAIRING

TUNING CONSTRUCTION

MARCHING

The Mount and Grosvenor Building.—Children at Play.

Braille Shorthand and Typing.

Junior Members are responding to the encouragement offered them and taking part in the debates.

Interesting debates were held with the Pioneer Missionary Training Colony, St. Andrew's Guild, The Literary Branch of the Wesleyan Society and the League of Nations Union.

The programme was diversified by a "Lord Mayor's Banquet" at Christmas, when each speaker sustained the character of some well-known artist, statesman or man of letters; a "Story-Tellers' Evening, when a story was improvised, each speaker taking up the thread from the point where his predecessor had broken off; and a "Murder Game," which proved a really searching test of members' powers of observation, reasoning and cross-examination.

Radio Society.—Regular meetings have been held during which the theoretical side of the Society's work has been to a certain extent superseded by practical construction.

An appeal to the Radio Society of Great Britain for the loan of some component parts for experimental and instructional purposes, was responded to most generously by Mr. Price, of Sydenham, who sent a quantity of parts as a gift.

Sports Days.—The Girls, Senior Boys and Junior Boys each held their sports days in July. The parents and friends who attended were entertained to tea in each case, after which they listened with much enjoyment to an excellent concert, including a short play. The arrangements were carried out by the various Sports Committees.

Football.—Captains: Leslie Muffitt and David McNealy; Vice-Captain: Harold Jeans. The teams showed the greatest keenness and played throughout the season a spirited and sportsmanlike game.

Matches were played against Bromley Secondary School, The Pioneer Missionary Training Colony, and also against teams from the Leatherhead and Swiss Cottage Schools for the Blind.

The match played at 7 p.m. by the non-sighted team against the Pioneer Missionary Training Colony attracted a certain amount of attention in the London and Provincial Press, and in spite of adverse weather, was thoroughly enjoyed by the home team, the visitors and the onlookers, alike.

Cricket.—Captains: Leslie Muffitt and Stephen Daly; Vice-Captain, Ernest Chandler. The semi-sighted boys played a number of matches, including two with a team from Bromley Secondary School. The non-sighted boys put in a good season of play and practice among themselves and had one match with a team from the Swiss Cottage School for the Blind.

Memorial Desk.—A carved and panelled oak desk has now taken the place of the baize-covered table in the Gardner Hall. It was dedicated by the Rev. G. F. Whittleton, during the Service in memory of Lady Campbell, and completes the Memorial to the first two Principals, Sir Francis and Mr. Guy Campbell.

L. CAMPBELL,

Principal.

The Royal Normal College and

Dr. INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE

1933. £	s.	d.	INCOME.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
			To **Pupils' Accounts** :—						
10,005	5	9	Contributions by Public Bodies, etc.				9,831	12	6
			,, **Government Grants** :—						
32	0	0	Elementary	46	10	0			
157	0	0	Secondary	81	0	0			
98	4	0	Under Article 40	105	4	6			
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							644	12	8
			,, **Interest** :—						
365	0	4	Conversion 3½% Stock	364	15	1			
455	8	0	Consolidated 4% Stock	455	8	0			
130	0	0	Conversion 5% Stock	130	0	0			
92	5	10	Conversion 4½% Stock	92	5	10			
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50	0	0	Hornshaw Bequest	35	0	0			
10	0	0	Bonus on Conversion	—	—	—			
29	9	8	Croydon Corporation 5% Stock ...	29	9	8			
			London & North Eastern Railway						
130	16	0	Debenture Stock	130	16	0			
			Great Western Railway						
11	15	9	Consolidated Ordinary Stock	11	15	10			
			Blue Star Line Limited						
120	0	0	5% Guaranteed Stock	110	0	0			
102	0	0	Local Loans 3% Stock	147	0	0			
—	—	—	Birmingham 3½% Stock	61	5	0			
23	15	0	Victoria Government Stock ...	47	10	0			
13	13	1	Current Account	5	15	7			
							2,158	1	2
			,, **Income from the estate of the Late William Moorsom Roberts** ...						
54	9	9					16	1	5
			,, **Income from the estate of the Late R T. Kingham**						
1	12	0							
			,, Additional Income Tax Recoverable for the Year 1931/32						
0	19	0							
			,, Balance being excess of Expenditure over Income for the Year				262	4	7
£13,498	8	1					£13,155	6	10

Academy of Music for the Blind.

12 Months from 1st April, 1933, to 31st March, 1934.

Cr.

1933. £ s. d.	EXPENDITURE.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
	By **Education**			
	Salaries:—	£ s. d.		
2,792 11 0	General	2,730 2 6		
1,252 6 8	Musical	1,153 4 2		
736 6 0	Technical ...	734 4 0		
210 19 2	Superannuation Employer's Contribution	170 4 1		
			4,787 14 9	
95 19 11	Appliances, Books, Stationery Pianofortes, etc.		68 19 10	
115 17 0	Repairs to Organs, Books, etc.		... 66 14 2	
34 14 4	Travelling of Pupils to Concerts, etc.		24 9 10	
				4,947 18
	,, **Maintenance**			
1,620 17 4	Salaries and Wages		1,588 9 6	
2,082 14 0	Provisions		2,043 18 0	
848 12 6	Fuel and Light		778 15 6	
552 1 2	Washing and Cleaning		556 12 7	
5 19 1	Haberdashery		... 7 12 1	
18 10 4	Registry Office and Household Sundries		... 17 18 4	
				4,993 6 0
33 10 0	,, **Nursing and Medicine**		... 21 4 6	
100 0 0	,, **Medical Officer's Salary** ...		.. 100 0 0	
88 0 0	,, **Dental Surgeon's Salary** ...		... 80 0 0	
63 4 8	,, **National Health Insurance** ...		... 61 4 4	
				262 8 10
	,, **Office Expenses**			
653 3 4	Salaries and Wages		.. 640 17 6	
29 7 1	Stationery		... 29 12 0	
88 14 8	Postages, Telegrams and Telephones		82 11 10	
				753 1 4
	,, **Garden Outlay**			
417 0 0	Wages		425 0 0	
25 17 5	Requisites		... 23 17 2	
				448 17 2
	,, **General Expenses:—**			
722 5 11	Rent, Rates, Taxes & Insurance		721 5 3	
122 3 7	Printing and Advertising		83 17 0	
468 2 3	Alterations, Fixtures and Repairs		736 6 0	
112 2 3	Renewals, Wear and Tear, etc.		131 19 7	
14 11 2	Travelling Expenses		15 4 3	
11 3 1	Unemployment Insurance ...		10 0 10	
11 2 8	Concerts and Meetings for the College		9 3 9	
15 15 0	Audit Fee		26 5 0	
50 0 0	**Grant to Retired Teacher** ...			
11 14 7	Sundries		15 13 3	
				1,749 14 11
93 1 11	,, **BALANCE—Excess of Income over Expenditure for the year**			
£13,498 8 1				£13,155 6 10

Dr. **ENDOWMENT**

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR

1933. £ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
485 17 10	To **Balance as per last Account**		435 18 0
	,, Redemption Blue Star Line Stock ...	300 0 0	
	,, Exors. of the late Miss M. S. Knight ...	100 0 0	
	,, Exors. of the late Miss S. H. Reid ...	300 0 0	
	,, Exors. of the late William Moorsom-Roberts	100 0 0	
3,733 4 5	,, Exors. of the late E. W. Lambert ...	1 2 0	
			801 2 0
£4,219 2 3			£1,237 0 0

Dr. **GEORGE THOMAS ROSE**

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR

£ s. d.		£ s. d.
31 16 7	To **Balance as per last Account**	26 6 7
13 8 9	,, **Dividends** on London, Midland & Scottish Railway 4% Preference Stock	15 13 7
£45 5 4		£42 0 2

Dr. **THE SIR FRANCIS JOSEPH CAMPBELL**

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR

£ s. d.		£ s. d.
54 5 6	To **Balance as per last Account**	45 5 0
	,, Exor. of the late Lady Campbell	201 12 3
13 13 0	,, **Interest** on 3½% Conversion Stock	13 13 0
£67 18 6		£260 10 3

Dr. **ALFRED E. BEDDOW**

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR

£ s. d.		£ s. d.
459 7 9	To **Balance as per last Account**	491 14 9
227 2 2	,, Interest on Conversion 4½% Stock	227 2 2
£686 9 11		£718 16 11

Dr. **SPECIAL PRIZE**

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR

		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
3 3 11	To **Balance as per last Account**		5 2 5
19 6	,, Interest on 3½% War Stock (Dixson Prize)	13 8	
3 11	,, Bonus on Conversion		
1 3 8	,, Interest on 3½% Conversion Stock (Lady Campbell Prize)...	1 3 8	
6 16 9	,, Interest on Montreal Tramways Co. 5% Sinking Fund Gold Bonds (Philip Layton Prfze)	6 3 11	
			8 1 3
£12 7 9			£13 3 8

Dr. **THE ELIZABETH WILLS**

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR

£3,000 0 0	To The Executors of the late Miss E. W. Allen	
	,, Interest London County Council 3½% Stock ...	£106 1 0
£3,000 0 0		£106 1 0

FUND.

12 Months from 1st April, 1933 to 31st March, 1934.

£ s. d.			£ s. d.	Cr. £ s. d.
	,, Temporary Loan to General Fund		400 0 0	
3,783 4 3	To 3½% Birmingham Stock		493 16 0	
				893 16 0
435 18 0	,, Balance			343 4 0
£4.219 2 3				£1,237 0 0

MEMORIAL PRIZE FUND.

12 Months from 1st April, 1933 to 31st March, 1934.

£ s. d.		Cr. £ s. d.
18 18 9	By **Awards to Pupils**	17 3 0
26 6 7	,, **Balance**	24 17 2
£45 5 4		£42 0 2

MEMORIAL FUND (Founded Jubilee Year, 1922).

12 Months from 1st April, 1933 to 31st March, 1934.

£ s. d.		Cr. £ s. d.
22 13 6	By **Grants to Students**	17 2 8
	,, Conversion 3½% Stock	201 12 3
45 5 0	,, **Balance**	41 15 4
£67 18 6		£260 10 3

MEMORIAL FUND.

12 Months from 1st April, 1933 to 31st March, 1934.

		£ s. d.
194 15 2	By **Equipment supplied**	109 12 1
491 14 9	,, Balance	609 4 10
£686 9 11		£718 16 11

FUNDS

12 Months from 1st April, 1933 to 31st March, 1934.

£ s. d.		£ s. d.	Cr. £ s. d.
	By **Prizes Awarded**:		
	Margaret Brand (Philip Layton Prize)	3 8 4	
5 2 8	D. Rawlinson (Philip Layton Prize) ...	3 8 4	
			6 16 8
1 3 8	R. Bridger (Lady Campbell Prize)		1 3 0
19 0	V. Jones (Dixson Prize)		1 1 0
5 2 5	,, **Balance**		4 3 0
£12 7 9			£13 3 8

ALLEN FUND.

12 Months from 1st April, 1933 to 31st March, 1934.

		Cr.
£3,000 0 0	By London County Council 3½% Stock	
	,, Balance	£106 1 0
£3,000 0 0		£106 1 0

BALANCE SHEET

1933. £	s.	d.	LIABILITIES.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
707	8	0	To **Tradesmen's Accounts, Salaries, etc.,**				1046	5	0
			,, **Amount due to Board of Education:**						
406	2	6	Teachers' Superannuation				340	8	2
			,, **Loan from Endowment Fund**				400	0	0
17,810	0	0	,, **Carnegie Endowment Fund**	17,810	0	0			
31,967	5	6	,, **College Endowment Fund**	32,468	7	6			
			,, **Hornshaw Endowment Fund.** Amount						
1,000	0	0	of Investment, per contra	1,000	0	0			
			,, **Francis Joseph Campbell Memorial**						
345	5	0	**Fund** (founded Jubilee Year, 1922)	543	7	7			
200	0	0	,, **C. A Ward Endowment Fund**... ...	200	0	0			
5,491	14	9	,, **Alfred E Beddow Memorial Fund** ...	5,609	4	10			
3,000	0	0	,, **Elizabeth Wills Allen Fund**	3,106	1	0			
							60,737	0	11
			,, **Capital Account:**						
			Balance as at 1st April, 1933	32,393	19	3			
			Less: Depreciation o Freehold and Leasehold Estate, Furniture, etc .. 814 1 11						
			Excess of Expenditure over Income for the year 262 4 7						
				1,076	6	6			
32,393	19	3					31,317	12	
			To **Prize Funds** (per Contra):						
526	6	7	George Thomas Rose Memorial Prize	524	17	2			
20	3	11	Dixson Prize	19	16	7			
27	10	11	Lady Francis Campbell Prize .	27	11	7			
104	5	6	Philip Layton Prize	103	12				
							675	18	1
£94,000	1	11					£94,517	4	11

Carried forward

AS AT 31st MARCH, 1934.

1933. £ s. d.	ASSETS.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
	By **Freehold and Leasehold Estate, Buildings, etc :**		
	Balance as at 1st April, 1933 ...	28,353 12 4	
28,353 12 4	*Less :* Depreciation	708 16 10	27,644 15 6
	,, **Furniture, Fixtures, Appliances and Musical Instruments :**		
	Balance as at 1st April, 1933 ...	4,210 3 4	
4,210 3 4	*Less :* Depreciation	105 5 1	4,104 18 3
372 14 0	,, **Pupils' Accounts outstanding...** ...		1,075 14 3
	,, **Interest on Investment outstanding**		65 0 0
	,, **Teachers' Superannuation,**		
2 8 0	Balance of Contribution outstanding		7
	,, **Investments held on behalf of the Carnegie Endowment Fund :**		
4,550 0 0	£5,653 7s. 6d. Consolidated 4% Stock	4,550 0 0	
13,260 0 0	£13,965 19s. 7d. War 3½% Stock, 1952	13,260 0 0	17,810 0 0
	,, **Investments on behalf of College Endowment Fund :**		
7,859 16 0	£10,169 17s. 6d. Conversion 3½% Stock, 1961	7,859 16 0	
2,000 0 0	£2,051 1s. 6d. Conversion 4½% Stock, 1940/44	2,000 0 0	
2,697 5 6	£2,600 0s. 0d. Conversion 5% Stock 1944/64	2,697 5 6	
5,000 0 0	£5,731 14s 9d. Consolidated 4% Stock	5,000 0 0	
1,241 5 10	£1,377 5s. 4d War 3½% Stock 1952	1,241 5 10	
3,399 13 3	£4,900 Local Loans 3% Stock	3,399 13 3	
2,462 5 10	£2,100 Blue Star Line Ltd. 5% Guaranteed Debenture Stock ...	2,162 5 10	
1,481 8 0	£2,000 Birmingham Corporation 3½% Stock	1,975 4 0	
600 0 0	£589 11s. 2d Croydon Corporation 5% Stock, 1950/60	600 0 0	
997 12 0	£1,000 Victoria 4¾% Inscribed Stock 1940/60	997 12 0	
2,498 6 1	£3270 London and North Eastern Railway Co. 4% Debenture Stock ...	2,498 6 1	
— — —	£393 Great Western Railway Co. Consolidated Ordinary Stock ...	— — —	
1,293 15 0	£2,250 Central Argentine Railway Consolidated Ordinary Stock	1,293 15 0	31,725 3 6
	,, **Loan to General Fund**		400 0 0
	,, **Investment held on behalf of the Hornshaw Endowment Fund by the Official Trustee of Charitable Funds :**		
1,000 0 0	£1,000 War 3½% Stock 1952 ..	..	1,000 0 0
	,, **Investment held on behalf of the Francis Joseph Campbell Memorial Fund** (founded Jubilee Year, 1922) :		
300 0 0	£590 4s. 2d. Conversion 3½% Stock 1961		501 12 3
£83,580 5 2	Carried forward ..		£84,327 4 4

1933. £	s.	d.			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
94,000	1	11	Brought forward	...				94,517	4	11
£94,000	1	11						£94,517	4	11

AS AT 31st MARCH, 1933

1933. £ s. d.			£ s. d.	£ s. d.
83,580 5 2		Brought Forward		84,327 4 4
	By	**Investment held on behalf of the C. A Ward Endowment Fund**		
200 0 0		£259 8s. 6d. Conversion 3½% Stock 1961		200 0 0
	,,	**Investment held on behalf of the Alfred E. Beddow Memorial Fund:**		
5,000 0 0		£5,047 0s 2d. Conversion 4½% Stock 1940/44		5,000 0 0
	,,	**Investment held on behalf of the Elizabeth Wills Allen Fund:**		
3,000 0 0		£3 030 0 0 London County Council 3½% Stock		3,000 0 0
774 1 11	,,	**Income Tax** recoverable		309 5 5
	,,	**Cash at Bank and in hand:**		
435 18 0		College Endowment Fund	343 4 0	
40 7 1		Sir Francis Joseph Campbell Memorial Fund	40 1 3	
378 3 10		Alfred E. Beddow Memorial Fund	580 17 1	
	,,	Elizabeth Wills Allen Fund	86 3 6	
854 8 11			1,050 5 10	
87 1 0		*Less* General Fund	45 8 9	
767 7 11				1,004 17 1
	,,	**Investments held on behalf of Prize Funds:**		
500 0 0		George Thomas Rose Memorial Prize Fund: £448 London Midland and Scottish Railway 4% Preference Stock	500 0 0	
20 0 0		Dixson Prize Fund: £19 12s. 10d. War 3½% Stock	20 0 0	
26 17 11		Lady Francis Campbell Prize Fund: £33 17s. 10d. Conversion 3½% Stock 1961	26 17 11	
100 0 0		Philip Layton Prize Fund: $500 Montreal Tramways Co. 30 year General Refunding Mortgage 5% Sinking Fund Gold Bonds	100 0 0	
			646 17 11	
	,,	**Cash at Bank and in Hand** on Income Account	24 8 9	
10 3 10	,,	**Income Tax** recoverable	4 11 5	
				675 18 1
£94,000 1 11				£94,517 4 11

We have examined the above Balance Sheet, and the Income and Expenditure Account for the year ended 31st March, 1934, with the Books and Vouchers and in our opinion it is properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the state of the College's affairs according to the best of our information and the explanations given us and as shown by the books of the College.

HARTLEYS, WILKINS, AVERY & FLEW, Chartered Accountants,
Auditors.

70a, Basinghall Street, London, E.C. 2.
7th June, 1934.

List of Donations and Subscriptions.

FOR THE

GENERAL PURPOSES OF THE COLLEGE.

Received from 1st April, 1933, to 31st March, 1934

The Principal will be glad to be informed of any inaccuracies in this list.

	Donations £	s.	d.	Subscriptions £	s.	d.
Her Most Gracious Majesty the Queen ...	10	0	0			
Acworth, J.P., Mrs.	5	0	0			
Allbutt, Miss				1	1	0
Allison, J. N., Esq.				1	1	0
Anderton, Mrs. A.					5	0
"An Old Pupil"	5	0	0			
Anonymous				5	5	0
,, ...				5	5	0
,, ...	3	3	0			
Armitage, Mrs.				2	2	0
Armitage, Miss A. S.				10	0	0
Aspinal, James, Esq					10	6
Astell, R. J. V., Esq.				10	0	0
Aston Charities, The	5	0	0			
Atkinson, Mrs.				1	0	0
Auldjo, Miss F.					10	0
Austin, Mrs. A. M.		5	0			
Backhouse, Mrs.				2	0	0
Baird, F., Esq.				1	1	0
Bailey, H. A., Esq.	2	0	0			
Ball, Miss Frances H.	1	1	0			
Balleine, Francis E., Esq.	1	10	0			
Barbour, Lady				1	0	0
Batchelor, Miss Honor				1	1	0
Bartholomew, Miss M. A.				1	1	0
Beddow, Miss				2	2	0
Beddow, J., Esq.				6	6	0
Beer, Miss				1	1	0
Bell, Miss Emily				1	0	0
Bellamy, Miss					6	0
Belmore, The Rt. Hon. Earl of				1	0	0
Benecke, P. V. M., Esq.				1	1	0
Bennett, S. A., Esq.	1	1	0			
Bernhard Baron Charitable Trust, The ...	50	0	0			
Bethell, Mrs. C. F.				2	2	0
Blaker, E. H., Esq.				1	1	0
Carried forward	84	0	0	59	1	6

	Donations £	s.	d.	Subscriptions £	s.	d.
Brought forward	84	0	0	59	1	6
Blezard, The Hon. Mrs.				1	1	0
Blind Tea Agency, The				1	1	0
Boileau, Lieut.-Colonel R. F.				2	2	0
Bonsfield, W. R., Esq.				1	1	0
Boyle, The Lady Muriel	5	0	0			
Braine, C. W., Esq.				1	1	0
Braithwaite, John. Esq.	2	2	0			
Brancker, Miss	1	0	0			
Bryan, Mrs. A.	1	1	0			
Buckle, Miss				4	4	0
Bumsted, Dr. H. J.					10	0
Bunton, Miss					5	0
Burden, Colonel Rowland				1	0	0
Burton, Bunnell H., Esq.				2	2	0
Burton, Messrs. Montague, Ltd.	1	0	0			
Butler, Miss E. M. (Proceeds of Concert) ...	4	8	0			
Butler, Miss J. E.					10	0
Campbell, Miss E. L.				5	0	0
Campbell, Sir Edward T., M.P.				10	10	0
Cecil, E. D., Esq.					10	0
Champion, Miss A. J.				2	2	0
Champion, Miss E.				5	0	0
Chance, Sir William, Bt.				1	1	0
Channing, The Hon. Julia		5	0			
Charles, Miss		5	0			
Clarke, Mrs. James	1	1	0			
Clarke, R. S., Esq.		5	0			
Clerk, Colonel R. M.				1	1	0
Clifton, Miss					5	0
Clucas, Miss					10	6
Cohen, Mrs. B. Salamen				1	0	0
Collins, Miss Caroline		10	0			
Connell, Fred A. H., Esq.				1	0	0
Cooper, The Misses Pencliffe	5	10	0			
Cooper, Miss B. B.					10	0
Co-operative Wholesale Society, Ltd., The ...	5	5	0			
Courthope, Miss E. M.	2	0	0			
Cox, P., Esq.	5	0	0			
Crabb, Miss	1	0	0			
Cripps, Mrs.					10	0
Croggen, Mrs. M.					10	0
Cropper, Mrs.				1	0	0
Crowder, Miss G.		10	0			
Crusader Manufacturing Co., The				1	1	0
Cure, E. Capel, Esq.				1	1	0
Darbyshire, In Memory of Mrs.		10	0			
Darbyshire, Miss B.					10	0
Davis, Mrs. Edward				1	0	0
Davis, Miss Mabel				1	1	0
Carried forward	120	12	0	109	1	0

	Donations £	s.	d.	Subscriptions £	s.	d.
Brought forward	120	12	0	109	1	0
Dean, Miss	1	1	0			
Delph, Miss H.				1	1	0
Dennett, H. R., Esq.		2	6			
De Pass, Lady				1	1	0
De Quincey, Mrs. R.				1	0	0
Dixon, H. E., Esq.				2	0	0
Doudney, Miss		10	0			
Douglas, Mrs. Halliday				2	2	0
Dowdell, E. G., Esq.				1	1	0
D'Oyly, Mrs.				1	1	0
Duffin, F. C., Esq.					5	0
Dunton, A. J., Esq.				2	2	0
E. A. D.				5	5	0
Ealing Conservative & Unionist Association (Women's Branch)		10	0			
Echalaz, Mrs. M. H.	3	0	0			
Empson, Mrs.				1	1	0
Eumorfopoulos, Miss		5	0			
Evans, Mrs. Richardson				2	2	0
Evans, Miss R. A.				1	1	0
Evatt, H., Esq.	1	1	0			
Ezra, Mrs. Muriel H.	5	5	0			
F. G.				1	1	0
Feltmakers, The Worshipful Company of (Per S. A. Williamson, Esq.)	5	5	0			
Findley, J. S., Esq.	1	1	0			
Fishwick, J. F., Esq.				1	1	0
Ford, Cliff, Esq.					10	6
Fore Street Warehouse Co., Ltd., The ...	1	1	0			
Forster, Miss					10	0
Foster, Miss C.				2	2	0
Foster, Miss M.				2	10	0
Fox, J. R., Esq.					10	0
Freeland, Mrs. S. A.					10	6
Freshfield, Miss J.				3	0	0
Gabbitas, Mrs.	5	0	0			
Gardiner, Sir Frederick C.				1	1	0
Gardiner, W. G., Esq.				1	1	0
Garrett, Miss W. M.		2	6			
Gibbens, Mrs. S. J.				10	0	0
Glass, D. J. C., Esq.	5	0	0			
Golden Square Preceptory, No. 219, Members of the, per O. L. Thompson, Esq. ...				1	1	0
Goldhawk, Miss					2	6
Goldring, A. R., Esq.	1	1	0			
Gossage, Mrs. Amy				5	0	0
Grant, Mrs. (In Memory of Admiral Grant)	1	1	0			
Gray, Melville, Esq.	1	0	0			
Griffith, Isaac C., Esq.	2	2	0			
Carried forward	155	0	0	160	3	6

	Donations £	s.	d.	Subscriptions £	s.	d.
Brought forward ...	155	0	0	160	3	6
Groves, B. R. S., Esq.				5	5	0
Groves, H. L., Esq., J.P.				2	2	0
Hall, Miss					5	0
Haslett, L., Esq.	2	2	0			
Hastie, Mrs.	1	0	0			
Hayes, Miss (collected by)		4	0			
Heath, Captain and Mrs. A. H.				2	2	0
Henderson, Frank, Esq.	5	0	0			
Holland, Alfred R., Esq.	1	1	0			
Holland, Mrs. H. E.				1	0	0
Hollins, Alfred, Esq., Mus.Doc.				1	1	0
Home, Mrs. A. J.	2	0	0			
Home and Colonial Stores, The	2	2	0			
Hughes, Miss E.		10	0			
Hunter, General Sir Archibald				4	4	0
Hurst & Son, Messrs.				2	2	0
Ibbertson, Mrs.		5	0			
Ideal Clothiers, Ltd., The	2	2	0			
Illingworth, Henry, Esq.				2	2	0
Jackman, C. E., Esq.				1	1	0
Jackson, Miss A. M.				1	1	0
James, B. S., Esq.				5	5	0
James, Miss Edith				1	1	0
James, Stanley, Esq.				2	2	0
James, Miss T.					5	0
J. F. P.				1	1	0
Jones, Mrs. G. H				1	0	0
Jordan, Mrs. L. E.				1	1	0
Jorgensen, J., Esq.				2	2	0
Josselyne, Miss Madi R.	5	0	0			
Keel, Mrs. (Proceeds of Golf Contest, Pollards Hill)	3	2	6			
Kolle, H. W., Esq.	10	10	0			
Laing, The Misses	3	3	0			
Lambert, C. H., Esq.		10	0			
Lamington, The Rt. Hon. Lord, G.C.M.G., G.C.I.E.				5	0	0
Lawrence, Miss A. J.				1	1	0
Lawrence, Dr. W. F.				2	2	0
Lazard, Bros. & Co., Ltd., Messrs.				5	5	0
Lee, J., Esq.	1	1	0			
Lesslie, R. J., Esq.				5	5	0
Lever, Miss Emily	1	1	0			
Lewis, Mrs. S. Waller				1	0	0
Life of Faith, The Readers of (per Messrs. Marshall, Morgan and Scott, Ltd.) ...	6	0	0			
Long, R. M., Esq.	5	5	0			
Lovejoy, Miss K. C.				1	1	0
Lovering, Miss E. Beatrice	10	0	0			
Lundholm, Mrs.				1	1	0
Carried forward	216	18	6	220	0	6

	Donations £	s.	d.	Subscriptions £	s.	d.
Brought forward	216	18	6	220	0	6
Lyall, Miss C.				1	1	0
Lyle, William Park., Esq.				5	5	0
MacAndrew, Miss B. V.				10	0	0
MacCall, Major				1	0	0
Mace, Miss M. E.					10	0
Macpherson, Stewart, Esq.				2	2	0
Marks, Mrs. A.				1	1	0
Marshall, Mrs. Dendy				1	0	0
Martin, H. J., Esq.				1	1	0
Matthews, Mrs. W. W.	1	1	0			
Matthews, Mrs.					10	6
Marzetti, C., Esq.				2	0	0
Maxwell, Miss C. L.	5	0	0			
McKecknie, P. W., Esq.				2	2	0
Meggy, A. G., Esq.				1	1	0
Mellor, N. W., Esq.	3	3	0			
M. E. N.					10	0
Mitchell, Miss K.				2	0	0
Moon, E. R. P., Esq.				5	0	0
Moore, J. R., Esq.				1	0	0
Morris, Robert, Esq.	10	0	0			
Mott, Geo. E., Esq.				2	2	0
Murdoch, R. M., Esq.				2	2	0
Muspratt, E. H., Esq.	2	2	0			
Muspratt, Miss R. S.				1	0	0
Neale, Lady Vansittart		10	0			
Nestlé and Anglo-Swiss Condensed Milk Co., Messrs.				1	1	0
Norman, Mrs. A.		1	0			
Ogle, Mrs.				1	0	0
Osborn, Miss J. H.				4	0	0
Parker, Lieut.-Col. W. J. W. Jervis ...				1	1	0
Partridge, Mrs. M.	1	1	0			
Patteson, Mrs.				1	0	0
Peay, Mrs. E. M.	2	0	0			
Perks, Mrs. G. D.				3	3	0
Piaggio, H. T. H., Esq.	1	1	0			
Picard, John R., Esq.				1	1	0
Phillips, T. W., Esq.				1	1	0
Phipps, Dame Jessie Wilton				1	1	0
Price, Walter H., Esq.					5	0
Powell, Mrs. G. Thompson	2	0	0			
Ranksborough, The Lady				5	0	0
Reckitt Charity, The Trustees of the Sir James (per S. H. Priestman, Esq.) ...				5	0	0
Reckitt & Sons, Ltd., Messrs.				5	5	0
Reid, Charles, Esq.		2	6			
Rich, Theodore, Esq.					5	0
Richardson, F. L., Esq.				1	1	0
Ridley, Frank R., Esq.	1	0	0			
Carried forward	246	0	0	291	12	0

	Donations £	s.	d.	Subscriptions £	s.	d.
Brought forward	246	0	0	291	12	0
Roberts, Caradog, Esq.					10	0
,, ,, ,, ...					10	0
Robertson Hubert A., Esq.				2	12	6
Robinson, J., Esq.		10	0			
Rogers, Rev. A. M. Coxwell		2	6			
Rose, Miss F. D.	1	0	0			
Royston, Herbert, Esq.					10	0
Russell, C. Neville, Esq.				1	1	0
Russell, Miss H. C.				2	2	0
Russell, Mrs. P. T.		10	0			
Rust, Miss				1	1	0
St. Bartholomew's, Sydenham, Collection from Carol Service	3	17	8			
Samuel, Miss C. E.				1	1	0
Samuel, Miss L. F.				1	1	0
Samuelson, Lady				2	2	0
Sassoon, Mrs. M.	1	1	0			
Scarth, Miss				5	0	0
Scragg, R. S., Esq.					10	6
Shaw, W. B., Esq.	2	2	0			
Shoreditch, The Mayoress of (Mrs. Housman)				2	0	0
Shott, Mr. and Mrs. R. E.				2	0	0
Shuttleworth, Lord				2	2	0
Simonds, Mrs. W. M.				1	1	0
Singleton, George, Esq.					2	6
Small, Miss Emily					5	0
Smith, Miss G.					5	0
Snell, A. S., Esq.				2	2	0
South, Miss				2	2	0
Southorn, Lady B.				1	1	0
Speak, Paul, Esq.	2	0	0			
Staines, E. B., Esq.	1	1	0			
Stevens, Miss E.					5	0
Stevenson, Mrs.		10	0			
Strange, Miss L. G.				2	2	0
Surrey Congregational Union (collection per H. C. Thompson, Esq.)	5	5	6			
Sutton, Mr. and Mrs. C. F.				2	0	0
,, ,, ,, ...				2	0	0
Sweet, W., Esq.	1	0	0			
Therdon, W. H., Esq.	1	1	0			
Thompson, Sir H. F. N.				3	3	0
Thompson, W. A., Esq.	1	0	0			
Till, Field, Esq. (per Mrs. Geo. R. Haller)					10	0
Todd, Mrs. A. E.				1	1	0
Todd, R., Esq.				1	1	0
Todman, Mrs. M.	1	1	0			
Tollemache, Miss J.					10	6
Tredgold, The Misses					10	0
Tregoning, J. S., Esq.				1	1	0
Carried forward	268	1	8	336	17	0

	Donations £	s.	d.	Subscriptions £	s.	d.
Brought forward	268	1	8	336	17	0
Turner, E. J., Esq.				2	2	0
Twist, Miss				1	1	0
Tyer, Miss E. M.					10	6
Urch, Robert N., Esq.	1	1	0			
Vaughan, Mrs.					10	0
Walker, Miss Diana (Collected by)	1	3	0			
Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Noel				3	3	0
Walker, W. G., Esq.					5	0
Walters, Mrs.		5	0			
Ward, Mrs. L. M. C.				5	5	0
Warren, Mrs. T. P.				1	1	0
Washington, Miss				1	1	0
Waterhouse, Miss F. E.	1	1	0			
Watson, Walter, Esq.	1	0	0			
Welsh, Mrs. E. C.				2	2	0
West, Miss M. C.				1	1	0
White, Miss E. L.		10	0			
White & Co., Messrs. W. G.		10	6			
Whitwham, Frank, Esq.	1	1	0			
Williams, Mr. and Mrs.		5	0			
Williams, P., Esq.				5	0	0
Wilson, T. H., Esq.				2	2	0
Wingate, Mrs.		10	0			
Woodford, Mrs. E. B.				1	1	0
Woodhead, Mrs. I. H.					10	0
Woods, Miss S.					5	0
Wright, Charles, Esq.				1	1	0
Wright, Mrs. Frank				1	1	0
Wyse, R. C., Esq.	1	1	0			
Young, Mrs. D. H. L.	2	0	0			
Zileri, Miss					5	0
	£278	9	2	£366	3	6

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Received from 1st April, 1933, to 31st March, 1934.

	£	s.	d.
Barnes, Mrs.	13	6	8
Bedwell, Mr. C. R.	41	6	8
Bowditch, Mr. H. E.	15	0	0
Brand, Mr. E.	26	13	4
Cogar, Mr. H. S.	1	0	0
Commercial Lodge, The Worshipful Brothers of the (per W.Bro. Haines)	7	10	0
Ephraums, Mrs.	62	0	0
Escott, Mrs.	22	7	0
Evans, Mrs.	6	0	0
Frazer, Captain	6	13	4
Gardner's Trust for the Blind	2653	6	8
Gyde Charity, The	20	0	0
Halifax Society for the Blind	18	6	8
Hampshire and Isle of Wight Educational Trust	25	0	0
Hodgson, Mr. J.	80	0	0
Huddersfield Society for the Blind	36	13	4
Institution for the Blind, Leicester	20	0	0
Jones, Mrs.	26	13	4
McKim, Mr. W. R.	41	6	8
Milsted, Mr. A. J.	13	6	8
National Institute for the Blind (Ex-Service Men's Fund)	10	17	0
Rogers, Mr. E.	23	16	8
Tillotson, Mrs.	36	13	4
Wermig, Mrs.	8	13	4
	£3,216	10	8

Education Authorities.

	£	s.	d.
Bootle	36	13	4
Brighton	55	0	0
Bromley	154	0	0
Bucks	77	0	0
Cardiff	73	6	8
Carlisle	36	13	4
Cheshire	91	13	4
Coventry	77	0	0
Croydon	224	17	2
Derbyshire	110	0	0
Essex	192	10	0
Faversham	77	0	0
Carried forward	1205	13	10

	£	s.	d.
Brought forward	1205	13	10
Gillingham	77	0	0
Glamorgan	36	13	4
Gloucestershire	55	0	0
Guildford	77	5	0
Hastings	36	13	4
Hertfordshire	136	10	0
Holland	36	13	4
Hornsey	51	6	8
Huddersfield	36	13	4
Hull	110	0	0
Ipswich	36	13	4
Kent	197	1	1
Kettering	102	13	4
Lancashire	58	13	4
Leeds	55	0	0
Leicester, City of	108	3	4
Lindsey	138	0	0
London County Council (Elementary)	12	16	8
,, ,, ,, (Secondary)	631	13	4
Maidstone	77	0	0
Manchester	77	0	0
Middlesex	559	5	6
Monmouthshire	179	13	4
Newcastle-upon-Tyne	18	6	8
Northamptonshire	18	6	8
Northumberland	55	0	0
Norwich	18	6	8
Penge	27	17	4
Portsmouth	55	0	0
Reading	81	3	6
Rhondda	55	0	0
Rochdale	55	0	0
Salford	55	0	0
Sheffield	13	15	0
Southampton	170	10	0
,, County of	55	0	0
Southend-on-Sea	45	11	2
South Shields	73	6	8
Sunderland	25	13	4
Surrey	346	11	10
Tottenham	25	13	4
Wakefield	55	0	0
Walthamstow	77	0	0
Warwickshire	55	0	0
West Ham	55	10	8
Westmorland	55	0	0
West Riding	253	0	0
West Sussex	36	13	4
Wiltshire	36	13	4
	£5,912	1	7

Legacies received prior to 31st March, 1933.

					£	s.	d.
Amounts received, previously to January, 1928 ...					48201	10	3
1928	Feb.	27	...	The late Mrs. Nash	1000	0	0
,,	Mar.	7	...	,, ,, Col. H. Doughty	5000	0	0
,,	July	3	...	,, ,, Mrs. H. Beddow	5000	0	0
,,	,,	3	...	,, ,, Col. H. Doughty	750	0	0
,,	Sept.	3	...	,, ,, Mrs. G. Martineaux ...	2	17	9
,,	,,	26	...	,, ,, Miss Murphy	8	13	8
,,	Oct.	31	...	,, ,, Mrs. S. V. Perkins ...	2000	0	0
,,	Nov.	2	...	,, ,, Miss J. A. Thomas	10	15	1
1929	Jan.	1	...	,, ,, Col. H. Doughty	750	0	0
,,	Feb.	9	...	,, ,, Sarah Hamblin	10	0	0
,,	,,	13	...	,, ,, Miss Annie Goff	48	12	3
,,	,,	15	...	,, ,, Mrs. S. V. Perkins	1000	0	0
,,	May	9	...	,, ,, Mrs. F. Storey	100	0	0
,,	July	26	...	,, ,, Col. H. Doughty	575	0	0
,,	Oct.	10	...	,, ,, Mrs. S. V. Perkins	304	13	2
1930	May	17	...	,, ,, Miss L. M. Baldock ...	568	5	3
,,	Aug.	22	...	,, ,, W. G. Sabine, Esq.	956	9	8
,,	Oct.	7	...	,, ,, Colonel Doughty	50	0	0
1931	June	8	...	,, ,, Mrs. Mary Thomas	371	10	2
,,	Sept.	17	...	,, ,, Miss M. H. Andrews ...	10	0	0
,,	Nov.	14	...	,, ,, E. W. Lambert, Esq. ...	1	1	10
,,	,,	28	...	,, ,, Miss E. W. Allen	2000	0	0
1932	Jan.	21	...	,, ,, E. W. King, Esq.	50	0	0
,,	May	6	...	,, ,, W. G. Sabine	747	14	10
,,	,,	19	...	,, ,, Miss A. Goff	88	14	11
,,	July	14	...	,, ,, Wm. Moorsom Roberts, Esq.	500	0	0
,,	Nov.	21	...	,, ,, Mrs. Ashton	1000	0	0
1933	Feb.	15	...	,, ,, R. T. Kingham, Esq. ...	1396	14	8

Elizabeth Wills Allen Fund.

	£	s.	d.
From the Executors of the late Miss E. W. Wills Allen ...	3000	0	0

Legacies received 1st April, 1933, to 31st March, 1934.

	£	s.	d.
Knight, Miss M. Starling, Exors. of the late	100	0	0
Lambert, E. W., Esq., Exors. of the late	1	2	0
Reid, Miss S. H., Exors. of the late	300	0	0
Roberts, Wm. Moorsom, Exors. of the late	100	0	0

List of Gardner Scholars.

March, 1934.

BOYS.

Barnes, Charles
Blake, Horatio F. H.
Borthwick, Archibald
Bowditch, Ernest
Bridger, Robert
Bulgen, Arthur
Chandler, Ernest
Chase, Kenneth
Christian, Thomas H.
Cornwall, John T.
Cottingham, Ronald
Davies, William
Dyer, Paul
Fairbrass, Thomas
Finch, Ronald
Foster, John J.
Goodey, Frank C.
Heckman, Alfred
Horsley, Victor
House, Frederick
Jeans, Harold
Jones, Vernon
Kent, Kenneth
Lee, Sidney Jack
Lorimer, John
McNealy, David
Milsted, Mervyn
Muffitt, Leslie
Oldring, Geoffrey
Olsen, John J.
Parratt, Reginald
Rayment, Lancelot
Reeve, Leonard
Roberts, Harold
Robinson, Jack
Rogers, Edward V.
Seager, Dennis A.
Sedgwick, Eric
Silcock, Norman
Smith, Vernon
Sykes, Kenneth
Tillotson, Jack
Townend, Charles
Walker, Albert
Waller, Harry
Walters, Frederick
Williams, William E.

GIRLS.

Ambrose, Kathleen
Austin, Milicent
Chappell, Kathleen
Driver, Joan E.
Ferriday, Iris
Frost, Phyllis
Hall, Kathleen
Leslie, Rose
Middleton, Dorothy
Newbold, Sylvia
Newton, Amy
Ripley, Lilian
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The College is situated at Upper Norwood. The principal entrance is in Westow Street. An outline Map, showing the position of the College and of the different Railway Stations, Motor 'Bus and Tram Halts in the neighbourhood, will be found on the next page.

Visitors' Day will be held on the first Thursday in November, February, May and July. Visitors will have an opportunity of inspecting the various departments from 3.15 to 5.15 p.m.

VISITORS.—Parents and friends may visit pupils on alternate Saturdays. Dates when visiting is permitted will be sent to the Parents at the beginning of each term and may be obtained from the Principal. If, for any special reason, parents wish to see their children at other times, they should write to the Principal for an appointment. As a rule, it is not expected that more than two friends will visit any pupil on the same afternoon. When visiting the College, parents are earnestly requested not to bring young children with them.

☞ *Friends cannot visit the pupils on Sunday; this rule is strictly enforced.* If the children go out with their parents, they must not undertake commissions for other pupils.

The Principal can be seen on business by appointment.

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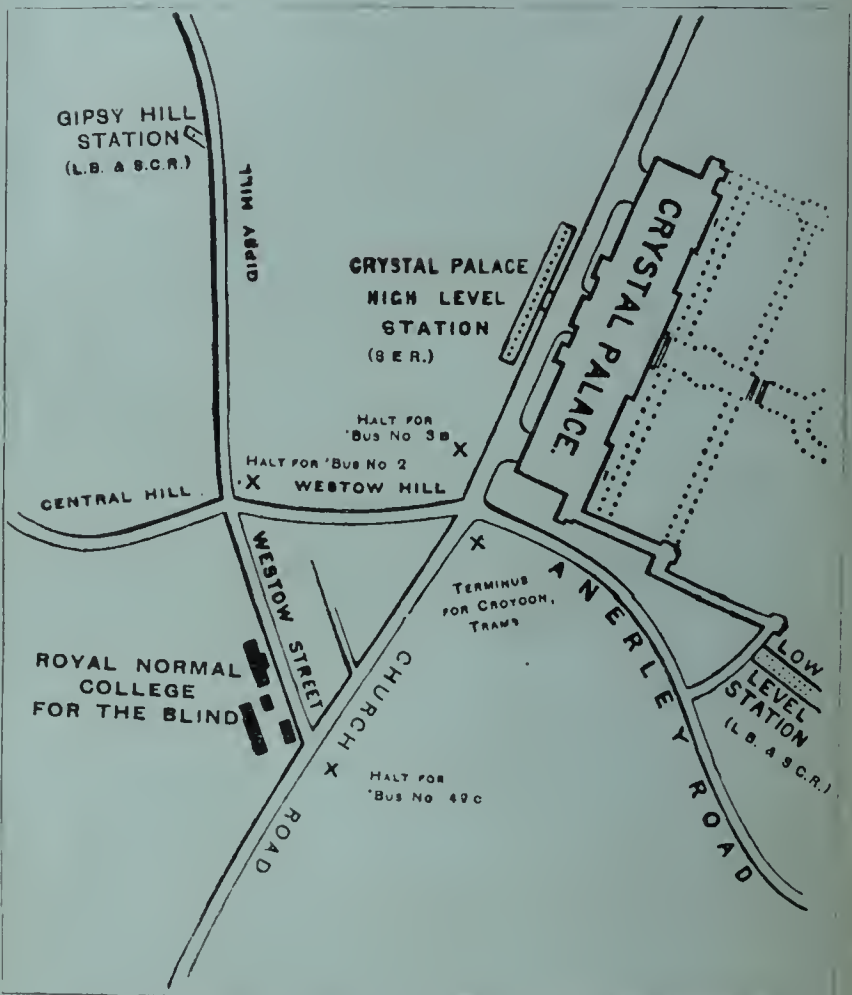
OUTLINE MAP.

Showing the Position of the College at Upper Norwood, the three Railway Stations, 'Bus halts and Tram Terminus.



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